

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The next batch of foreign news will be brought by the Alameda, due on the 18th.

The different military companies are ordered to report this evening for regimental drill.

The October number of the Paradise of the Pacific will be on sale at the newsdealers this afternoon.

The Marshall's sale of the Norris property has been postponed from October 6th, 1894, to Saturday the 13th.

J. F. Hackfeld, A. T. Gruetter, I. Witkowski and Miss Helen Dickson are booked to leave by the Alameda.

Mrs. B. Frieman leaves on the Australia Saturday, for a business trip to Chicago. She will return in the Alameda.

Frank Godfrey is busy collating the names of natives on this island, which list he will publish in reference-book form.

Miss Bessie Reynolds left last evening for Kauai. She goes to take a position in the Government school at Lihue.

The registration on Kauai is 587. This is ninety-three more than registered at the May election for the Constitutional Convention.

The fine cattle brought here by Mr. McCandless are now at Dowsett's paddock, but will be taken to Waimea and Waipio on Saturday.

Miss Helen Dickson gave a euchre party to a number of her friends at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Dr. S. B. Pratt, last evening.

Judging from the letters which Mr. Marsden answers every mail the people abroad must take his department for a general information bureau.

After an enjoyable fortnight among Honolulu friends William Essie and bride left on the Mikahala last evening for Kealia, Kauai, their future home.

P. A. Diaz states that he cannot accept the nomination to the office of Representative conferred upon him by the voters of Maui. He pleads ill health as the cause.

The two native boys who drove one of the Club Stable's horses to death were sentenced to six months on the reef. They have appealed their case to the Circuit Court.

J. D. Marlin, the road builder, left on the Claudine to do some work on the Volcano road. When he has finished that, he will go to Puna and work on the Government roads there.

The first term of the Kamehameha Girls' School opens on Monday, November 12. Applications should be made to Miss Pope at Kamehameha Manual, or on Saturdays at Queen Emma hall.

The Congregationalist says that the study between the parsonage and the Congregational church at Benicia, Cal., was destroyed by fire, and the entire library of Rev. C. W. Hill, now at Hilo, was burned.

Unofficial returns received from Maui show that 767 persons are registered on Maui, Molokai and Lanai, 197 of whom are eligible to vote for senators. The complete and official returns will be received on the Kinau tomorrow.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Hawaiian Gazette Company: President, W. R. Castle; vice-president, W. M. Pomroy; treasurer, G. H. Paris; secretary, W. E. Brown; and auditor, W. C. Weedon.

There was a quiet dinner party at the Hawaiian hotel last night, given by Mr. and Mrs. Nolan. The guests were: Miss Nolan, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Miss Herbert, Captain Houdlette and J. Monsarrat. The Quintet Club played for the occasion.

The Hawaiian Hardware Company makes an interesting suggestion this morning regarding the manner in which these islands should be advertised. The column is worth reading for this reason, to say nothing about some other facts well worth knowing that appear in it.

Mr. P. Peck, accompanied by Messrs. A. Th. Gruetter and C. Witkowski left on the Claudine for Hilo yesterday. The W. G. Hall on her next trip will leave Punalu one day earlier than schedule time so that the two last named gentlemen can return to the States by the Alameda.

Rev. K. Tsunashima, late of the First Japanese Church, Tokyo, who spent some time in the service of the Hawaiian Board at Honolulu, made an address at a recent meeting of the Monday Club, San Francisco. He was on his way to New Haven to study sociology in Yale Theological Seminary.

SANSEVERIA.

Mr. Marsden Interests Two Chicago Men in its Growth.

Commissioner Marsden had a long talk with Messrs. Witkowski and Gruetter, the men who have gone to Puna to look into the coffee question. The object of the talk was to get the gentlemen interested in sanseveria, and Mr. Marsden thinks he has succeeded.

The two capitalists seemed very much interested in the plant, took samples both of the fibre and the green plant, and will, on their return to Chicago, take them with them. They have promised to try and interest other people in the plant, and will undoubtedly do so, as they are most enthusiastically themselves.

WILCOX BREAKING UP.

Return of McDowell and His Launch From the Scene.

Mr. McDowell returned yesterday from the scene of the wrecked G. N. Wilcox, which he visited in his steam launch accompanied by three men. He says that when he neared the place of disaster he saw that it would be useless to try and board her, as she was fast breaking up. Then he steamed toward Waimanalo and on the way encountered a number of casks and cases that had been broken open by the pounding of the waves and hitting on a reef. The weather was very rough and the goods did not seem worth the trouble of salvage so he came back. He says his little boat behaved beautifully in the heavy sea. All along the shore could be seen men on horseback riding from place to place watching for wreckage.

A NOVEL RULING.

Tom Reed Could Take Lessons From This Man.

At a meeting which was held on this island, last week, for the election of delegates to the Nominating Convention, the acting president was about to call for nominations when an old native, well up in parliamentary law, rose and objected to further proceedings because there was no quorum present.

The president was surprised, but, after reflecting a moment, replied that, under the Provisional Government, the objection would have been, probably, good, but that under the Republic it had no force. This explanation satisfied the native, and the nominations were made.

Sold Complimentary Tickets.

Lewis Levey, lessee of the Opera House, complained yesterday that a reporter for the Star had sold tickets which were given to that paper as complimentary. He stated that the reporter had approached one man who was in the act of buying tickets at the box office window and got him to accept the complimentary at a reduced rate. Editor Johnstone of the Star was asked regarding the matter yesterday afternoon and said, "Mr. Levey is correct in his statement. I have investigated the matter and as a result have discharged Mr. Effinger, our shipping reporter, who sold the coupons."

Elections of Officers.

The following officers have been elected for Wilder & Co., limited: W. C. Wilder, president and manager, S. G. Wilder, vice-president, C. L. Wight, treasurer, S. G. Wilder, secretary, C. J. Falk, auditor.

For S. G. Wilder & Co., limited: S. G. Wilder, president, G. P. Wilder, vice-president, C. J. Falk, secretary and treasurer, C. L. Wight, auditor.

For the estate of S. G. Wilder: C. L. Wight, president, G. P. Wilder, vice-president, S. G. Wilder, secretary and treasurer, F. W. Macfarlane, auditor.

A Stag Dinner.

Mr. Fred. Macfarlane gave a stag dinner at his residence on Beretania street, Monday evening, in honor of A. Gebarding. Covers were laid for fourteen, and the following were present: A. Gebarding, Dr. Miner, A. S. Cleghorn, F. M. Swamy, Godfrey Brown, F. A. Schaefer, E. C. Macfarlane, F. M. Hatch, J. F. Hackfeld, E. D. Tenney, C. L. Wight, W. G. Irwin and W. F. Allen.

Slashed a Portuguese Boy.

A Chinaman assaulted a Portuguese boy in Panoa Valley last night, badly cutting the lad with a knife on the head and face. The assailant was not captured, but the police believe they can place their hands on him this morning.

The Australia will leave for the Coast at noon tomorrow, and it is probable that she will beat the Pekin in.

BY AUTHORITY.

ACT 8.

AN ACT RELATING TO ELECTIONS AND CONTESTED SEATS IN THE LEGISLATURE.

Be it Enacted by the Executive and Advisory Councils of the Republic of Hawaii.

PROVISIONS FOR PRESERVING THE PURITY OF ELECTIONS.

SECTION 1. Offenses against the election laws and against the Rules and Regulations concerning the administering of oaths and the holding of elections, promulgated by the President, are divided into two classes, viz.:—"Election Frauds" and "Misdemeanors," as herein-after defined.

ELECTION FRAUDS.

SECTION 2. The following persons shall be deemed guilty of an election fraud:

1. Every person who shall directly or indirectly, personally or through another, give, procure or lend, or agree to offer to give, procure or lend, or who shall endeavor to procure, any money or office or place of employment of valuable consideration to or for any elector, or to or for any person for an elector, or to or for any person in order to induce any elector to vote or refrain from voting, or to vote or refrain from voting for any particular person or party, or who shall do any such act on account of any person having voted or refrained from voting for any particular person at any election.

2. Every person who shall directly or indirectly, personally or through another, make any such gift, loan, offer, promise, procurement or agreement as aforesaid, to any person, except to such assistants as are permitted by law, or by the Rules and Regulations issued by the President in accordance with the Constitution, in order to induce such person to procure or endeavor to procure the election of any person to the Legislature; or to procure the vote of any elector at any election.

3. Every person who shall advance or pay, or cause to be paid, any money to, or to the use of, any other person, with the intent that such money, or any part thereof, shall be expended in bribery at any election, or for any purpose connected with or incidental to any election other than the objects and purposes for which money is by law or the said Rules and Regulations allowed to be expended, excepting only reasonable expenses for conveying voters to the polling places on election days; or who shall knowingly pay or cause to be paid any money to any person in the discharge or repayment of any money wholly or partly expended in bribery at any election, or for any purpose connected with or incidental to any election, other than the objects and purposes for which money is by law or the said Rules and Regulations allowed to be expended.

4. Every elector who shall, before, during or after any election, directly or indirectly, personally or through another, receive, agree or contract for any money, gift, loan or valuable consideration, office, place or employment for himself or any other person, for voting or agreeing to vote, or for refraining to vote or agreeing to refrain from voting, or for voting or refraining to vote for any particular person or party.

5. Every person who shall at any election, personally or through another, or by any means or means on his behalf, directly or indirectly, give or provide, or cause to be given or provided, or shall be necessary to the giving or providing, or shall pay wholly or in part any expenses incurred for any meat, drink, entertainment or provision to or for any person in order to be elected, or for being elected, or for procuring the election of any candidate, or for the purpose of influencing such person or any other person to vote or refrain from voting; or for voting or refraining from voting for any particular person or party.

6. Every person who shall directly or indirectly, personally or through another, make use of, or threaten to make use of, any force, violence or restraint, or inflict or threaten to inflict any injury, damage or loss in any manner, or in any way practice intimidation upon or against any person in order to induce or compel such person to vote or refrain from voting or to vote or refrain from voting for any particular person or party, at any election, or on account of such person having voted or refrained from voting, or voted or refrained from voting for any particular person or party.

7. Every person who shall directly or indirectly, personally or through another, make use of, or threaten to make use of, any force, violence or restraint, or inflict or threaten to inflict any injury, damage or loss in any manner, or in any way practice intimidation upon or against any person in order to induce or compel such person to vote or refrain from voting or to vote or refrain from voting for any particular person or party, at any election, or on account of such person having voted or refrained from voting, or voted or refrained from voting for any particular person or party; or who shall by abduction, distress or any device or contrivance impede, prevent or otherwise interfere with the free exercise of the elective franchise.

8. Every person who, before or during an election, knowingly publishes a false statement of the withdrawal of any candidate at such election.

9. Every person who induces or procures any person to withdraw from being a candidate at an election in consideration of any payment or gift, or valuable consideration; or of any threat; and every candidate who withdraws from being a candidate in pursuance of such inducement or procurement.

10. Every public officer by law or by said Rules and Regulations required to do or perform any act or thing with reference to any of the provisions in any law concerning elections or in said Rules and Regulations contained, who shall wilfully fail, neglect or refuse to do or perform the same, or who shall wilfully perform it in such a way as to hinder the objects thereof, or who shall be guilty of any wilful violation of any of the provisions thereof.

PUNISHMENT FOR ELECTION FRAUDS.

SECTION 3. Every person found guilty of an Election Fraud shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars or exceeding one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment at hard labor for any term not less than ten days or exceeding two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the Court.

Besides such punishment, such person shall be disqualified from voting and from holding any office under the Government, and from being elected to or occupying a seat in the Legislature, for six years from the date of such conviction.

If the person so convicted shall hold any office, either elective or appointive, at the time of such conviction, such office shall at once and without mention in such sentence, or other proceeding, be vacated by such conviction.

The judge or magistrate before whom such conviction is had shall immediately transmit to the Minister of the Interior the name of such person, the offense of which he has been convicted and the sentence of the Court.

MISDEMEANORS.

SECTION 4. The following persons shall be guilty of a misdemeanor:

1. Every person, except such assistants as are by law or by said Rules and Regulations specifically authorized to be employed, who shall, for the purpose of promoting or preventing the election of any candidate at any election, be engaged or employed for payment or promise of payment, or for any valuable consideration, to act as agent, clerk or messenger, or in any other capacity.

2. Every person furnishing, hiring, or using any premises or portion thereof licensed to sell beer, wines or spirits, as a committee room for the purpose of promoting the election of any candidate at any election.

3. Every person who shall be disorderly or create a disturbance whereby any meeting of the Board of Registration of voters or of the Inspectors of Election during an election shall be disturbed or interfered with; or whereby any person who intends to be lawfully present at any such meeting or election is prevented from attending; or who shall cause any disturbance at any election; and every person assisting or aiding or abetting any such disturbance.

4. Any candidate who fails or neglects to furnish the list of agents as prescribed in said Rules and Regulations.

5. Every person who shall, either in person or through another, in any manner break up or prevent, or endeavor to break up or prevent, the holding of any meeting of the Board of Registration of voters, or in any manner break up or prevent, or endeavor to break up or prevent, the holding of any election.

6. Every person who, being a candidate for election, or an agent of any such candidate, or a member of any committee acting for or on behalf of any such candidate, shall fail to file the statement of expenses or of lack of expenses, as required in said Rules and Regulations.

7. Every person who shall wilfully violate or fail to obey any of the provisions of law or of said Rules and Regulations, punishment for which is not otherwise herein specifically provided for.

8. Any person who shall wilfully tear down, or destroy, or deface any election proclamation or any poster, or notice, or list of voters, or card of instructions, or specimen ballot, issued or posted by authority of law.

PUNISHMENT FOR MISDEMEANORS.

SECTION 5. Any person convicted of a misdemeanor under the provisions hereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment at hard labor for not more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Court.

JURISDICTION TO TRY OFFENSES.

SECTION 6. Jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon District Magistrates and Circuit Judges to issue warrants and hear and determine all offenses arising hereunder, subject to the usual right of appeal.

Any person in any way violating any of the provisions hereof may also be prosecuted for the violation of any other then existing law, rule or regulation.

CAUSE OF VACATING A SEAT.

SECTION 7. The seat of any elective member of the Legislature shall become vacant whenever such member:

Shall become President, a Cabinet Minister, or Judge of the Supreme Court; or,

Shall die; or,

Shall resign; or,

Shall be convicted of any offense conviction for which would have disqualified him from being elected; or,

Shall be convicted of any offense, conviction for which would have disqualified him from being elected; or,

Shall be convicted of an Election Fraud, as the same is now or hereafter may be defined by law, or of a violation of any of the provisions of the said Rules and Regulations which, by the provisions hereof or by law, entail a forfeiture of such seat; or,

Be guilty of gross misconduct or neglect of the duty for which he was elected, or of continued unexcused absence from the meetings of the Legislature, whereof the Legislature alone shall judge; or,

Shall fail to possess or comply with any of the requirements necessary for an elective member of the Legislature; or,

If any agent or assistant or member of a committee having charge of or assisting in the election of any such member shall be convicted of an Election Fraud connected with the election of such member, as the same is now or hereafter may be defined by law; provided such fraud has been perpetrated with the knowledge or connivance of the candidate.

SECTION 8. Any candidate directly interested, or any thirty duly qualified voters of any election district, may file a petition in the Supreme Court, setting forth any cause or causes why an election shall be declared void, or a seat in the Legislature vacant, or the decision of any Board of Inspectors, or of the Marshal or any Sheriff, reversed or changed.

If such petition shall be based upon any act alleged to have been done, or omitted to have been done, in connection with any election, it shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Court within thirty days following the election proposed to be contested. Each petition shall be accompanied by a deposit of such costs as may be prescribed by the Court.

NOTICE OF CONTEST.

SECTION 9. A notice of not less than fourteen days shall be given to the Inspectors of the Election District in which such contest is made, and to the candidate who shall have been returned or whose seat is contested, and to any others whose rights or interests are particularly affected, who shall be designated by the Court.

Besides such notice, a written or printed notice of the time and place of hearing such contest shall be posted in the District, in some public and frequented place, or published in some newspaper circulated in the District, for not less than ten days prior to such hearing.

EVIDENCE OF VOTER.

SECTION 10. No person who has voted at any election shall, in any legal proceeding, be required to state for whom he voted.

HEARING OF ELECTION CONTEST.

SECTION 11. All petitions contesting the validity of any election, or to vacate a seat in the Legislature, shall be heard by the Court as soon as reasonably may be, whether in term time or in vacation, at such time or times, place or places as the Court may direct.

SECTION 12. At the hearing the Court shall cause the evidence to be reduced to writing in full or sufficiently to ascertain all of the facts involved, and shall thereupon give judgment, stating all findings of fact and the law thereupon, which shall then be transmitted in full to the Minister of Interior. If such finding shall be that the election was invalid, or the seat vacant, a new election shall at once be ordered by said Minister.

COSTS.

SECTION 13. Such award as to costs in such proceedings shall be made as the Court shall determine. Costs shall be the same as in trials in the Circuit Court in Chambers.

DECISION FINAL.

SECTION 14. The decision of the Court concerning any question properly involved in any such petition shall be final and binding upon all parties.

RULES OF PROCEDURE.

SECTION 15. The course of proceedings shall be subject to the Rules of the Supreme Court. The Court may make such special rules concerning contested election cases and petitions to vacate a seat in the Legislature as it may find necessary or proper.

The Court shall have like powers as in trials at a regular term of the Court, concerning compelling the attendance of witnesses, punishment, contempt and all other matters pertaining to such hearing.

SECTION 16. Every record made in pursuance of law by a Board of Registration of Voters, or a Board of Inspectors of Election, shall be prima facie evidence of the facts therein set forth, and shall be received as such in any Court or tribunal in which the same is offered as evidence.

SECTION 17. This Act shall take effect from the date of its publication.

Approved this 4th day of October, A.D. 1894.

(Signed) SANFORD B. DOLE,

President of the Republic of Hawaii.

(Signed) J. A. KING,

Minister of the Interior.

ACT 9.

AN ACT RELATING TO BONDS OF GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES.

Be it Enacted by the Executive and Advisory Councils of the Republic of Hawaii.

SECTION 1. In every case where bonds for the faithful performance of duty are not already required by law of officers or

employees in any Department or Bureau of the Government, the head of the Bureau, as the case may be, may require every such officer or employee to give a bond for the faithful performance of his duties.

SECTION 2. Whenever any such bond shall be required by the head of a Department, the amount of the penalty and the conditions of the bond shall be such as the head of the Department shall deem proper. And when any such bond is required by the head of a Bureau, the amount of the penalty and the conditions of the bond shall be such as the head of the Bureau with the approval of the head of the Department shall deem proper.

SECTION 3. All such bonds heretofore given are hereby ratified and confirmed.

SECTION 4. This Act shall take effect from the date of its publication.

Approved this 4th day of October, A.D. 1894.

(Signed) SANFORD B. DOLE,

President of the Republic of Hawaii.

(Signed) J. A. KING,

Minister of the Interior.

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Foreign Office Notice.

Be it known to all whom it may concern, that Monsieur HENRI LEON VERLEYE having presented to this Department his credentials from His Excellency the President of the French Republic as Commissioner and Consul for the French Republic, in Hawaii, all persons and all Departments of the Government are required to pay high consideration to his person, his property and his retainers, and give full faith, and attach full credit to all his official acts as such Commissioner and Consul.

FRANCIS M. HATCH,

Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Department of Foreign Affairs, Honolulu, October 8, 1894.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

HONOLULU, H. I., Oct. 1, 1894.

It is the desire of this Department, that all monetary claims against the Government shall be presented to the heads of Bureaus not later than the 5th day of each month. When claims are so presented, they will be filed as amounts due for the preceding month, to be paid only when the claims for that particular month are ordered paid, i.e., claims filed between the 1st and 5th of October, will be classed as the bills for August.

S. M. DAMON,

Minister of Finance.

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Corporation Notice.

THE ESTATE OF S. G. WILDER, I.D., has been organized for the purpose of consolidating and continuing the various branches of business of the late S. G. Wilder and promoting other business and has assumed all the property and rights of the residuary legatees under the will of S. G. Wilder.

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year:

C. L. Wight..... President
G. P. Wilder..... Vice-President
S. G. Wilder..... Secretary and Treasurer
F. W. Macfarlane..... Auditor

The Board of Directors comprises the officers and Charles L. Carter.

S. G. WILDER,

Secretary.

Honolulu, October 1, 1894.

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Corporation Notice.

WILDER & CO., LIMITED HAS been organized and incorporated for the purpose of carrying on the business of Wilder & Co. at Honolulu.

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year:

W. C. Wilder..... President and Manager
S. G. Wilder..... Vice-President
C. L. Wight..... Secretary and Treasurer
S. G. Wilder..... Secretary
C. J. Falk..... Auditor

The Board of Directors comprises the President and

G. P. Wilder, S. G. Wilder, C. L. Wight, C. J. Falk, F. W. Macfarlane and Charles L. Carter.

S. G. WILDER,

Secretary.

Honolulu, October 1, 1894.

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Corporation Notice.

S. G. WILDER & CO., LIMITED has been organized and incorporated for the purpose of carrying on the business of S. G. Wilder & Co. at Mahukona, Hawaii.

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year:

S. G. Wilder..... President
G. P. Wilder..... Vice-President
C. L. Wight..... Secretary and Treasurer
C. J. Falk..... Auditor

The Board of Directors comprises the officers, F. W. Macfarlane and Charles L. Carter.

C. J. FALK,

Secretary.

Honolulu, October 1, 1894.

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Election of Officers.

AT A MEETING OF THE STOCK-HOLDERS of the Hawaiian Gazette Company, (Limited) held this 9th day of October, 1894, at the office of the Company, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:

President..... W. R. Castle
Vice-President..... W. M. Pomroy
Treasurer..... G. H. Paris
Secretary..... W. E. Brown
Auditor..... W. C. Weedon

W. E. BROWN,

Secretary.

Honolulu, October 9, 1894.